Gift

Receives G. E. Television As Prize

Miss Frances Beckenert, 58 Webster street, Arlington, receives the award of a General Electric television set which she won for submitting the best rhyme for the week ending March 18 on the "Rhyme Does Pay" radio show over WEEI. Shown with Miss Beckonert are (left) Wally O'Hara, Master of Ceremonies on "Rhyme Does Pay" and (right) M. J. Abizaid, proprietor of Colonial Radio and Television Co., a participating G. E. dealer.

Honor Mr. C. B. Belluche

The Boston Club of the Master Photo Finishers, gave a testimonial dinner for two of the outstanding members of the organization, Charles B. Belluche, and Horace K. Atkins.

Charles B. Belluche, 315 Locke street, Arlington, for the last 20 years, has been our president. He always has been at the helm of the club, guiding it, backing it with all his physical and moral energy, he has worked very hard to make this club outstanding. He has made many friends locally and nationally.

Horace K. Atkins, one of the charter members of the club has been honored by being elected as President of the National Association of Master Photo Dealers' & Finishers' Association.

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Patriot's Day Plans Promise Gala Observance On April 19

Rep. Keenan Outlines Further Traffic Plans

Representative Henry E. Keenan following up his past recommendations for breaking up traffic congestion in Arlington Centre, further recommends the following suggestions which he has called to the attention of the Board of Selectmen, the County Commissionres and the State Authorities.

Many of those who were in opposition to the plan as proposed by the Planning Board are still not satisfied with the cost and safety angle of the proposed printed plan and are desirous that some action be taken by the authorities to work on the angle of re-routing some of the traffic that now passes over Pleasant street and through Arling ton Centre. This they belive can be accomplished by the erection of signs at the junction of Pleasant street and the Concord Turnpike indicating that congestion can be avoided by going down the Concord Turnpike and taking the Alewfe Brook Parkway to Medford and the North Shore. They further believe that some of the recommendations as embodied in the printed plan as proposed by the Planning Board could be followed out without a great deal of expense to the Town and thereby break up the traffic congestion in Arlington Centre, namely, wih he sgns indicaed above and with the recommendation that is now embodied in the printed plan that all traffic coming down Mass. ave., will be re-routed around the Arlington Centre Fire Station through the short strech of Franklin street, thereby eliminating the congestion at Mass ave., and Medford street. This would nessitate

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Parade, Military Ball, Pageants Paul Revere Rider All Listed For 175th Anniversary Event

The hard working Patriot's Day Committee realeased the parade lineup and tentative program for the four day extravaganza which will commence April 16, with Church services in all of Arlington's Churches.

The head of the Committee, W. S. Batchelor said, he hopes the parade will be one of the biggest in the History of Arlington, as well as one of the most successful.

The line of march will start at Appleton street and proceed down Massachusetts avenue pass the reviewing stand, through the centre, and on down to Lake street, where it will commence to disband.

The parade is split into five divisions, the first of which is the Military including:

Police, Chief Marshall and Staff, Boston Firemen's Band, Firemen, Infantry, Military Band, Naval and Marine Detachments, Artillery Tanks and Floats (Military)

The second division will be the Veteran's Division:

Marshall, Norman Prince Post Band, Gold Star Mothers, Spanish American War Vets, American Legion Band, American Legion Float, V F W Band (Scotch Bagpipers), V F W Float, Marine Corps League Band (Bagpipes), Marine Corps Float, and other Patriotic Organizations.

The third division will include all the Youth Organizations;

Marshall, Band, Boy Scouts (Massed Colors), Girl Scouts (Massed Colors), Float, Band, Camp Fire Girls, Float Band, and Boys' Club Float.

The fourth division will be the civic division;

Marshall, Wakefield Redmen Band, I O O F Float, B P O E Float, Knights of Columbus Float, and Floats of Other Organizations and Business Firms.

The fifth division will be for Municipal Organizatons;

Marshall, Town Float, Old Eure-

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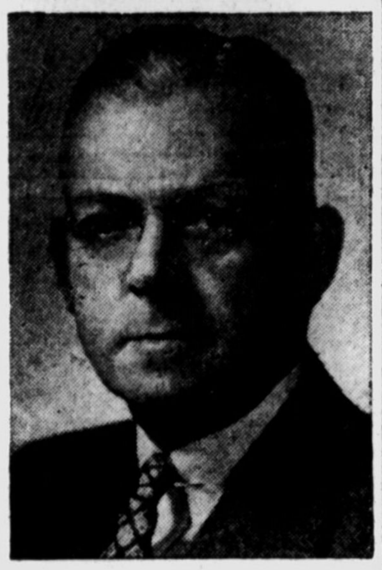
Locke Named Chairman For Cancer Drive



WILLARD R. LOCKE

Willard R. Locke of Arlngton has been named as chairman for the North Boston area in the April Cancer fund raising drive, it was announced today by Walter H. Trumbull, Campaign Chairman for the Massachusetts Division of the American Caner Society.

Mr. Locke will work directly with Mr. Francis W. Capper, Greater Boston area Chairman and vice president of the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company.

Mr. Locke, Assistant secretary for the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co., was a member of the Board of Governors of the American Institute of Banking. He has been a Town Meeting Member in Arlington for three years and a member of the Middlesex Republican Club. In addition, he is a Mason and a member of the American

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Cancer Campaign Seeks $2245 Here

The 1950 Cancer Crusade during April will seek to raise $2245 in Arlington to finance expanded programs of local service and education, and research on a nation-wide scale.

This announcement by Mrs. M. Norcross Stratton, local chairman of the American Cancer Society, pointed out that the national goal this year is $14, 565,000 and the Massachusetts goal is $530,166.

"We must make an extra effort this year to raise our share of this money," Mrs. Stratton emphasized. "Efforts of past years must be exceeded to maintain the progress we have made toward controlling cancer."

"Some of the nation's foremost scientists have found new clues to cancer," the chairman said, "which open up avenues of attack previously closed to cancer researchers."

Mrs. Stratton said there is now hopes in scientific circles that new and successful means of treating cancer with chemical compounds will be developed.

"But even without new scientific discoveries," she pointed out, "it is now possible, through early detection and prompt treatment, to save at least a third of the 200,000 who are dying with cancer each year. One out of every five now living will have cancer, and one out of every eight will die of it. That is too much."

"About 67,000 AAmericans are being cured of cancer yearly," the

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Injured When Hit By Car

Francis McBearty, 6, 276 Appleton street, Arlington, was removed to the Symmes Arlington Hospital after he had been struck by a car in front of his home,, Friday afternoon.

The car, operated by Charles A. Sullivan, 77 Gloucester street, Arlington, struck the boy as he dashed into the street, according to police. The hospital reported he received injuries to his right knee.

Bicyclist Hurt

Daniel Peterson, 10, 24 Bonard road, Arlington, was taken to the Symmes Hospital in the Police ambulance after smashing into a tree on Iroquois road, while riding his bicycle.

The hospital reported he received cuts and bruises to his face and arms.

Attend Lecture

Mrs. Richard Bolt, president of the League of Women Voters of Arlington and Mrs. Ascher Shapiro of the Arlington league attended a lecture by Professor Helen Cam, professor of Hisory a Harvard Universtiy on Wednesday, March 29th. This lecture was held at Phillips Brook's house in Cambridge. The title of Professor Cam's talk was 'The Approach to Western Union in the Light of History.' The lecture was sponsored by the League of Women Voters of Cambridge.

Bridge Party Next Tuesday

Court St. Agnes, Catholic Daughters of America, will hold their biweekly Bridge and Whist party, Tuesday, April 11th at two o'clock at American Legion Hall. The Chairman is Mrs. Nonie Fontaine, assisted by a large group of members.

Town Clerk Notes

Edmund L. Frost,, Selectman elect, has resigned as Trustee of the Robbins Library, effective on filing with the Office of the Town Clerk.

The law provides for the remaining members of the Board of Trutees to meet with the Town Selectmen and appoint a successor to Mr. Frost. The successor will hold the office until the next annual election.

Local Girl On Radio Program

WCOP's Student Radio Club gives all high school and junior high school students and opportunity to try out their musical or dramatic talents over he air. The program is broadcast from 11:30 to 12 noon each Saturday.

Among the participants on this Saturday's (April 8) broadcast will be: Marion McGrame, 16 Melrose street, Arlington, who will sing, "One Kss".

Rummage Sale Here Friday

The Arlington Unitarian Church will hold a rummage sale at the church, corner of Mass ave., and Pleasant streets on Friday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

A committee including Mrs Richard Bennett, Mrs William F. Homer, Mrs. Dadmun, Mrs. Ralph Stevens, Mrs. Wentworth Carr, Mrs Ernest Hesseltine, and Mrs. Donald Pettee have been busy completing arrangements for the event.

Baseball Permits

All groups or organizations who wish the use of the various base ball fields in Arlington for baseball games must make application to the Park Commission by not later than Wednesday, April 5, 1950.

WARNS RDOG OWNERS

Mr. James Golden, Town Clerk, warns all dog owners, their dogs must have been licensed by April 1 for the year 1950.

Those who have failed to do so, should do so promptly by drawing such license at the Office of the Town Clerk, Town Hall, Arlington.

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PATRIOT'S DAY—

ka (Antique Fire Engine With men), Town Department Floats, and New Town Vehicles.

This will conclude the parade but by no means will it end the celebration. The following program was released Tuesday night. however, it is still tentative.

Sunday—Church Services in all of Arlington's churches;

2:30 p.m.—The pageant "Menotomy" will be presented for the children in the Town Hall. The play will be in ten episodes.

8:00 p.m.—The pageant will again be presented for the adults.

Tuesday—Concert and Military Ball.

7:30 p.m.—Concert by the Marine Band;

8:30 p.m.—Formal Military Ball.

12:00 p.m.—Greeting of Paul Revere on his midnight ride from Boston.

1:00 a.m.—Ball concludes.

Wednesday

6:00 a.m. Flag raising exercises.

8 30 a.m. —Parade

7:30 p.m.—Band Concert at Spy Pond Field followed by a huge fireworks display.

8:00 p.m.—Youth dance at the Lowe Auditorium for Seniors; Old Town Hall for Juniors.

Tickets for the civic and military ball which will be held at Robbins Town Hall on the eve of Patriot's Day as one of the major events of Arlington's observance of the 175 anniversary of this day, went on sale this week.

These tickets may now be obtained from the Treasure Chest, the Arlington Fire Department (Central fire station), at the office of Rep. Henry E. Keenan, or from members of the ball committee, Atty. Lawrence E Corcoran, chairman; Mrs. John Sampson, Mrs. Kenneth Troy, Capt. Robert J. Mahoney and John Thompson. The cost is $1.25 per person, tax included. Because of the anticipated large attendance at this ball, which promises to be the most colorful event of its kind ever held in Arlington, those planning to attend are urged to obtain their tickets at the earliest possible moment.

The evening's festivities will open with a concert by the 80 piece United States Marine Band which is being sent here by special Act of Congress to participate in the Arlington, Lexington and Concord celebrations of Patriot's Day. Known as the President's Band, this musical organization is the most outstanding of its kind in the country. The band program is scheduled from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Following their concert, the bandsmen will be invited to join Arlingtonians in dancing to the music of Ruby Newman's Orhestra.

During the evening, specialty dances will be presented by some of the pupils of the Mary Corbett Burns Dancing School, the O'Neill Sisters Dancing School and the Curry School of Dancing. Special numbers by professional dancers will also be presented.

About 11 p.m., the rider will be re-enacting the "Midnight Ride of Paul Revere" will be greeted at the Town Hall If time permits, he will be invited to dance with one of the ladies before departing for Lexington where he is due to arrive at the stroke of midnight.

The ball will be formal and dancing will continue until 1 a.m.

A vote of confidence and praise is due to the members of the Patriot's Day Committee who gave up much of their spare time in order that this day may be a huge success. They have done their part and now it is up to the Townspeople to do theirs. Turn out for all of the affairs, for as well as being excellent entertainment it is every one's civic duty.

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LOCKE —

Legion, having been a veteran of World War I.

In commenting on his appointment, Mr. Locke stated:

"Cancer has hit practically every family in the Commonwealth and I feel that it is important for all of us to join in the fight to stamp ou his nation's second greatest killer."

A successful campaign in the community, the newly appointed chairman points out, will aid the Massachusetts Division in its fight against America's most dreaded disease. In addition to many grants made by the American Cancer Society, the Massachusetts Division awards many grants in its own right for research and carries on programs of education and medical service. Sixty cents of every dollar raised in Massachusetts in the annual campaign is retained by the division for its own local program.

Cancer, it is pointed out, is now the second ranking cause of death in the nation. It is the cause of one out of every eight deaths. Here in Massachusetts, some 8500 persons will die of it in 1950. At the same time doctors generally are convinced that the conquest of cancer now lies within the foreseeable future on the basis of progress already made in research.

According to chairman Trumbull, the money raised in the campaign goes where it can accomplish the most. without regard to amounts raised in a particular area. For instance, last year the national Society and the Massachusetts Division awarded $594,080 in research grants and fellowships to Bay State institutions, a sum more than $112,000 in excess of funds raised in the Massachusetts campaign, because within this area are some of the world's leading centers of cancer research.

Much of the Massachusetts Division's most effective work in its fight against cancer is concerned disease. Many cancers can be cured Mr. Trumbull explains, if they are with spreading knowledge of the detected early enough. The attack is getting results. The number of early cases coming to medical attention has sharply increased, greatly increasing chance for cure.

One of the most important phases of the battle against cancer is widespread knowledge of Cancer's Seven Danger Signals, these are (1) any sore that does not heal, especially about the tongue, mouth or lips, (2) a painless lump or thickening, especially in the breast, lips or tongue, or about the neck, armpit or groin, (3) any irregular discharge or bleeding from any body opening, (4) progressive change in color or size of a mole, wart or birthmark, (5) persistant and unexplained indigestion, (6) presistent hoarsness, unexplained cough or difficulty in swallowing, and (7) any change in normal bowel habits.

CANCER —

chairman said, "an equal number of lives could be saved if enough people learn the cancer danger signals and see their doctors when cancer symptoms appear. This calls for intensive education and for that we need generous financial support."

Serving with Mrs. Stratton on the Arlington Committee are Mrs. Arhur J. Mansfield, Vice-Chairman Mrs. John A. Bishop, Secretary; Mr. Edward P. Clark, Treasurer; Mrs Walter H. Lennon Publicity Chairman; Merwin F. Ashley, Mrs. Humbar A. Beckett, Mrs. Dorothy Leacitt, R. N., Rt. Rev. Msgr. Mathew J. Flaherty, Miss Helen Heffernan, R.N., Rabbi Herman H. Rubinoxitz, E. Vernon Rich, Gordon A. Saunders, M. D., Mrs. Lucinda F. Spofford, Rev. Nathan W. Wood, and Arthur O. Yeames.

KEENAN—

the removal of two islands at the rear of the Fire Station at Franklin street. In this way all traffic coming up Mass. Ave. would work in together with the traffic coming down Mass. Ave. and continue on in rotary type fashion. Again, if Chestnut Street was made one way from Medford Street to Mystic Street and Mystic Stree was made one way from Chestnut Street to Mass. Ave., his would also fit in with the rotary idea.

Arlington also has a complete set of roads around the Town. This also could be completed with the proper signs.

To explain this rotary pogram one should start with the Concord Turnpike from Lexington to Cambridge then along the Alewife Brook and the Mystic Valley Parkway and up Route 2A Summer street Boulevard to the junction of Lowell street and the Boulevard, then from this point along Lowell street and Park Avenue back to the Concord Turnpike. Properly placed signs at the entrance of Arlington directing the motorists to take advantage of this rotary system would take much of the traffic out of Arlington that is headed for points beyond Arlington Centre.

If a complete study was made of all t hese signs by the authorities they could be relocated, and rerouted to carry out this rotary idea.

It is Representative Keenan's theory that if the State spends thousands of dollars for signs it must be a practical method of directing traffic. We have a recent example in the Mystic River Bridge Authorities posting signs all over Greater Boston to direct traffic to their bridge. It seems unlikely that they would spend this money unless they believed in the power of signs to direct traffic.

This idea will be further investigated by the Town, State and County authorities and will undoubtedly be discussed at the public hearings held on the re-routing of Route 0 and on the proposed plan as outlined by the Planning Board.

Steele Talks On Hotel Careers

Chauncey Depew Steele, Jr., Gen. Manager of the Hotel Continental, Cambridge, Mass., addressed the students of the Watertown High School on Wednesday, March 29th, 1950 on the subject, "Opportunities in the Hotel Field."

This talk was in connection with the occupational conferences, sponsored by the Guidance Department of the Watertown High School. Mr. Edward B. Colbert is the Director of the Program.

Mr. Steele discussed the opportunities for employment, advancement and training in the Hotel Industry.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Don Costo of Morrison avenue, Somerville announce the engagement of their daughter, Mildred, to Ralph Babine, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Babine of 48 Marion road. Miss Costa attended the Somerville schools and was in the WAVES during the war. Mr. Babine is a graduate of the Arlington High School and was in the Nevy for two years. He is the owner of the Babine Express Company of Boston and Lowell. The wedding will take place in May.

Women Voters Hear Facts On Local Schools

"A Look At Our School System and School Committee" was the subject discussed at two meetings of the League of Women Voters of Arlington last week. An afternoon meeting was held on Wednesday, March 29, at the home of Mrs. Robert Nelson and an evening meeting on Thursday March 30, at the home of Mrs. Hugo de Fritsch.

Mrs. David Colwell of the Local Affairs Committee of the League presented the report. The members of the committee who assisted her in gathering the data were Mrs. Morris Burroughs, Mrs. Norris Hoyt, Mrs. Ascher Shapiro and Mrs Edwin Gilliland.

In discussing the school committee, Mrs. Colwell pointed out that it has the responsibility for educational policies and oversees the educational system. The superintendent of schools, as the executive officer of the school committee, puts its policies into effect.

It was brought out that every child of school age is located by a yearly census and that the average daily attendance since war years has been held at 95 percent.

Approximately 30 percent of Arlington's total budget is appropriated to the schools. The teacher's salaries average from $2600 per anum, which is somewhat above the average for the state, although the state's average has slipped in comparison to other states.

The School Committee report for 1949 indicates that the school budget will probably continue to rise due to an increase in costs of materials and to an expansion in the school plant by such additions as the Hardy School addition, the new Bishop School, and the new gym and lunchroom of Junior High West.

Gym facilities are urgently needed for the High School, Junior High Center and Junior High East.

Playground facilities are inadequate. Almost all playgrounds are very small with the exception of the Brackett School.

With the exception of Junior High West, lunchroom facilities have proved inadequate since the Junior High Schools have adopted the single session. The elementary schools are definitely not set up for a school lunch program during the winter single session.

The most important problems in the administration of the school system are Housing and Building problems and the need for providing a remedial reading program.

The services of Dr. Walter MacCormack nationally known architect and consulting engineer have been engaged to provide the school committee with advice relatve to the various problems confronting the school department.

In preparing this report the committee interviewed Mr. Clifford Hall, Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Clarence Morrill, principal of the high school and Mrs. Eleanor J. Strong of the School Committee.

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Interesting Exhibit At Library Here

One of the most interesting items in the 19th of April Exhibition now hanging in the Robbins Library is a group of four re-engravings of the only contemporary representations of the Battles of Lexington and Concord. This set of engravings was made by Amos Doolittle after the sketches of Ralph Earl, the well-known American portrait painter. These two men were with the Revolutionary Army in Cambridge; while during the summer of 1775 they got leave to go out to Lexington and Concord at which time the sketches were made. The set was published December 13, 1775, "six shillings per set for the plain one, or eight shillings coloured." Now originals are of the greatest rarity, there being less than a dozen sets known. In 1903 Sidney L. Smith made re-engravings after the originals; the group on exhibit, generously lent by Mrs. John W. White of Winchester, is one of the Sidney Smith sets.

The set consists of four plates: 1. The Battle of Lexington; In a view of the Town of Concord, with the Ministerial troops destroying the stores; III the Battle of the North Bridge; IV the south part of Lexington, where the first detachment were joined by Lord Percy. (The plates as described in the advertisement of the original publishers).

Marriage Intentions

The following intentions of marriage were announced by the Office of the Town Clerk, Tuesday;

Robert M. Pecheco, 85 Varnum st., Arlington to Theresa M. Moniz, 14 Gorham st., Somerville.

Angelo A. Amico, 344 Cross st., Winchester, to Leonora A. Donato, 15 Albermarle st., Arlington.

Francis A. Silva Jr., 16 Lesley ave., Somerville, to Glenna L. Sandberg, 24 Mystic Lake Drive, Arlington.

Leonard J. Lorian, 101 Beacon st., Somerville. to Maybelle A. Johnson, 24 Exeter st., Arlington.

Dale M. Maxxham Jr., 65 Broadway, Arlington, to Dorothy G. Gibbs, 278 Old Colony ave., South Boston.

Gelando Pastena, 80 Williams st., Arlington, to Sallie F. Lynch, 1231 Mass. ave., Arlington.

John P. Duggan, 96 Concord ave., Somerville, to Virginia M Dawson., 13 Fairmount st, Arlington.

James F. Dusont, 47 Lincoln st., Weymouth, to Mary F. Brillon, 59 Trowbridge st., Arlington.

Joseph J. Milano, 6 Interval st., Woburn to Joan M. Costa, 20 Whittemore st., Arlington.

Walter G. Wilson, 1833 Mass ave., Lexington, to Caroline M. Sawyer, 432 Concord Turnpikke, Arlington.

APPEAR IN OPERETTA

Ann and Sue Clark of 26 Upland road West, students at Brimmer and May School, Boston were members of the cast in the successful production of Gilbert and Sullivan's "Yoemen of the Guard" produced jointly by their school and the Browne & Nichols School, Cambridge. They played in both evening performances last week on Friday, March 31 and Saturday, April 1, in the Boston Public Latin School Auditorium.

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Dear Sir:

On behalf of the officers and members of the Massachusetts Heart Association and the 1950 Heart Committees, I wish to thank the Arlington Press for the splendid publicity given us during our Feb. Campaign.

An important part of any appeal for funds is public education. We have, therefore, two reasons to thank you. First, for your help in calling attention to the importance of the attack against heart disease, the killer and crippler of mankind; and second, for informing your readers how they could make their contributions to aid in the fight.

The final returns of the Campaign have not yet come in. We have every reason to hope, however, that our efforts have been successful. If so, important credit must go to you for your generous co-operation.

Sincerely,
(Signed) Christian A. Herter, Jr.
State Chairman

PTA TO HOLD SPRING CONFERENCE APRIL 12

Many Arlington women are interested in the P.T.A. Spring Conference of District 4, to be held Wednesday, April 12th, at Western Junior High School, Somerville, Mass. Mrs. Humphrey Sullivan, 45 Menotomy rd., Arlington has planned an interesting afternoon program to begin with registration at 2 p.m. It will include a clinic which should be of interest to ail present and future officers of the local groups. The pupils of the Kendall School Belmon will be featured.

Supper will be served at 6:30 and the evening program will commence at 8 o'clock. Miss Mildred March, Principal of Ward School Newton, will be one of the speakers in the evening panel disucssion, together with representatives of the Wellesley and Gardner School systems and several of the state officials of the P.T.A.

LOCAL GIRLS IN SCHOOL PROGRAM

The day students at Lasell Jr. College in Auburndale presented a Day Hop Variety Cabaret on Friday evening, March 24. Participating in the program were Barbara Chace a senior, of 75 Grand View road, who will act as Mistress of Ceremonies, and Lillian Reese, a senior, of 46 Rawson road, who will take part in some of the numbers.

Boy Scout News

TROOP 8

Under the aegis of Troop advancement chairman, Herb Converse, Jr., and the capable leadership of Assistant Scoutmaster Ronnie Simmonds and Junior Assistant Scoutmaster, Dick Barker, the Troop's amphibious force, sixteen strong, held a highly successful swim last week at the Newton "Y". Those participating were: Simmonds, Barker, Snow, Mardigian, Porter, Woodis Paul Serry, Charles Stengle, Bob Stengle, Bob Stengle, Tom Quinn, Jim Mansfield, Whitney, Young, Koger, Stevens and Heuser. Ronnie Simmonds and Dick Barker have devoted so much time and effort to a succession of successful swims this winter that the old popular game of "buck-abuck" has now been replaced by a newer and more intriguing "duck-a-duck". A fellow can make a whale of a splash when ducked. Even though waterlogged and reduced to a couple of gurgles, he can still respond to "thar she blows".

SACHEM COUNCIL

Because of Holy Week, the next regular District Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, April 5th has been postponed to the first available time - Thursday evening, April 13, at the Robbins Library Hall. Scouters please notice.

The Troop recently held a day hike to Camp Oak in which nature study, map work, and a ball game featured. Assistant Scout Master George A. Riese led the group participating, who were met at Camp Oak by Scout Master "Keke" Finch and committeeman Ralph Stevens. Those on the hike were: Ed Larsen, Paul Serry, John Lane, Steven Downs, Jay Smith and Jim Mansfield. Ed Larsen and Jay Smith passed their five mile hike tests. Muct interest was shown in the work done by "Tex" Johnson of Troop 10 and others at the spring on the lower road where an ample of water has now been assured with a flow of three gallons per minute or more to provide a reservoir of two hundred gallons and with a lower pool for a fire reservoir and for washing. The main reservoir is four feet wide, eight feet long and five feet deep. Eight tons of washed gravel have been used and a cone shaped shutter screen, concrete enclosure and a fully enclosed force pump provided.

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To: Mr and Mrs. Robert K. Hutchine (Jean A. Tuttle) of 72 Westland avenue, Boston, a daughter, named Sandra Jean on March 19, at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

To: Mr. and Mrs. Alexander H. Thyne (Rena F. MacInnis) of 1 Pond terrace, Arlington, a son named Joseph on March 19th, at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

To: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Medeiros (Louise M. Abbruzzese) of 174 Dothan street, Winchester, a son named Joseph on March 19th, at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

To: Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Thomas (Lorna M Colgan) of 66 Sutherland road, Arlington, a son named Wayne Alan, on March 22nd, at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

To. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Galli (Theresa J. Corcco) of 12 Grove street, Arlington, a son named Joseph, on March 22nd, at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Previte of 104 Cutter road, Arlington announce the birth of a son on March 18, at the Wyman House of the Mount Auburn Hospital. Mrs. Previte is the former Josephine Bruno.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Cahill of 10 White street, Arlington, announce the birth of a son on March 19, at the Mount Auburn Hospital. Mrs. Cahill is the former Elaine Hanson. Grandparents honors go to Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Hansen of Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ripley of 14 Fessenden road, Arlington, announce the birth of a son on March 23, at the Wyman House of the Mt. Auburn Hospital. Mrs. Ripley is the former Barbara Leland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lonergan of 22 Woodcliff road, Lexington, announce the birth of a son on March 23, at the Wyman House of the Mt. Auburn Hospital. Mrs. Lonergan is the former Deborah Sargent.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold O'Neil of 38 Menotomy road, Arlington, announce the birth of a daughter on March 25, at the Mount Auburn Hospital. Mrs. O'Neil is the former Margaret Ryan. Grand parents are Mr. Patrick Ryan of Waltham and Mr. and Mrs. William O'Neil of Dorchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Igo of 148 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington, announce the birth of a son on March 25, at the Mount Auburn Hospital. Mrs. Igo is the former Evelyn Marie Diehl. Grand parents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Diehl of Arlington Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. King of 34 Harvard st., Arlington, announce the birth of twin sons on March 25, at the Mount Auburn Hospital. Mrs. King is the former Ruth LaRochelle. Grand parents are Mrs. John King of Sterling, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Emile LaRochelle of Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. O'Callaghan of 369 Park Ave, Arlington, announce the birth of a son on March 27, at the Wyman House of the Mount Auburn Hospital. Mrs. O'Callaghan is the former Lucille Stenger.

CAMPFIRE DIRECTOR TO SPEAK APRIL 11

Miss Elaine McKenney, field director of the Campfire Girls, will address the Hardy School Parent Teachers group Tuesday, April 11, at 8 pm. Miss McKenney will talk on the organization of the Campfire Girls and what it means to the girls. She will also show slides of camping life and discuss the outdoor program.

As an added attraction some pupils of the Mary Corbett Burns dancing school will entertain. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. Mrs. Beatrice Rogers, chairman of hospitaliy and her committee, Mrs. James Aulenback will preside.

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In honor of the 175th anniversary of Battles of Lexington and Concord, a special exhibit will open in the first floor gallery of the Robbins Library on the third of April; this exhibit, arranged by the Curator of the Robbins Art Collection, will be up during that month.

It will consist primarily of contemporary views of these Battles as well as that of Bunker Hill. One of the items of particular interest to the people of Arlington will be a facsimile of Paul Revere's letter in which he describes his ride, mentioning, among other things, going through Menotomy.

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Teen Agers Critical Of Own Driving

Boston, Mass, .. Massachusetts teen agers have indicated their own driving as the major problem confronting safetly authorities and teachers because "teen-agers" have not yet become aware of the respon sibilities placed in their hands when they are given control of a motor vehicle."

The opinion was expressed in essays submitted by high school seniors competing in the "Forum For Living" safety competition cur rently sponsored by the Casualty Insurance Companies Serving Mass In those essays, Massachusetts high school seniors were asked to give their opinions of the greatest safety problem in their community and offer suggestions as to how it might be remedied.

A survey of the 420 winning essays submitted in the first phase of the competition, disclosed that the problem of teen-aged driving was listed as the number one poser with teen-aged cyclists coming in for second place attention. A third problem mentioned by the youthful essayists was that of pre-school age children playing in the streets, further indicatng to Forum officials that the high schoolers are quite able to follow along the line of thinking of their elders.

In pin-pointing teen-aged driving as the greatest problem in their communities, the essayists revealed that many young people realize that their driving is not all it should be. Despite the fact that youthful reflexes and co-ordination frequently surpass that of older drivers, the writers admitted that accident frequency for young drivers is higher.

One high school senior wrote, "Teen-agers have not yet become aware of the responsibilities placed in their hands when they are given control of a motor vehicle. Mist teen-agers regard the automobile as a toy....something with which to play games. They do not yet sense the fatal destruction which may be caused by their carelessness.'5

Another essayist, a teen-aged girl, placed the blame with the older generation. She stated, "They have taught us the mechanics of the car, but they have failed to impress us with the duties and dangers." Similar comments from other high school students upheld her point of view.

"Teenicide" as another contestant termed the hazardous situation, "is caused by the recklessness of boys and girls under twenty-one." This contestant thought eighteen should be the minimum age for acquiring a driver's license, and that 'once a teen-ager is caught in the wrong, a sufficient punishment should be made." This punishment, she added, "should not include fines, etc., or any of the harsh measures, but the offenders should be shown what would have happened or where his mistakes were or how he can tell other teen-agers to help them from making mistakes too."

Many of the participants recommended required high school courses in safe driving which would include not only teaching the mechanics of safe driving, but also the responsibilities that accompany the driving of a car. Judging from the papers, the youngsters admit their driving is "in the wrong", but they are willing to learn.

Carelessness or ignorance of good bicycle driving practices also were mentioned frequently by contestants. In this connection too, they urged more safety education as well as licensing or registration of bicycles.

In the matter of pre-school children playing in the streets, the high schoolers suggested the establishment of more playground areas or closing off side streets to general traffic. They also suggested starting safety education as soon as a child is old enough to start applying the principles for his own good.

In many of the contest papers, the youths challenged their parents by asking the latter to instill in their children the safety responsibilities and awareness they should have in order to practice safety at all times. Many of the papers suggested a feeling of " If we knew better what is right and what is wrong we wouldn't commit a wrong.'

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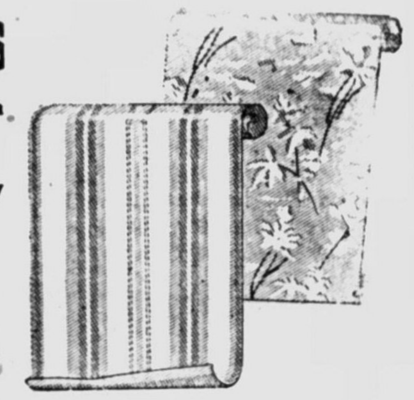

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Following the established policy of allowing seniors in good standing to enter industry, Weldon MacLeod of 21 Thorndike street is start ing this week with the Tech Motors n Cambridge, Robert Ahern of 21 Webster street will be with the Charles Perham Company in Arlington, and Anthony Griecci of Grandview road, s to be employed by the Patrck Ross Company of Cambridge. Starting salary ranges from thirty to sixty dolars per week.

Vocational pupils complete three years of specimic training for their chosen field in industry at the Arlington High School, which is substantially aided by the Department of Education of the Commonwealh of Massachusetts.

The plan of work experience is optional with the pupils. It has been found, however, that pupils who have worked on this basis have a much better chance of employment when graduated. Usually their training places them in line for rapid advancement.

UNIVERSITY THEATRE

Clark Gable and Loretta Young, two Academy Award-winning stars are teamed in "Key To The City" which starts Saturday for four days at the University Theatre. It's the rollicking story of two mayors, one a former longshoreman, the other a girl graduate of Harvard, who meet at a San Francisco convention and leave that city practically hanging on the Golden Gate Bridge after a whirlwind romance.

"Spotlight On Mexico", This is America series, three Walt Disney cartoons and "The Boy and the Eagle", a gripping and suspenseful short subect, complete the program.

"Dear Wife" starring William Holden, Joan Caufield, Billy DeWolfe, Mona Freeman and Edward Arnold and opening Wednesday, mnght well carry a subtitle: "The Further adventures of 'Dear Ruth'" For this new comedy is a dequel to that stage and screen hit of a few seasons back and is even funnier, according to preview reports. Each of the stars portrays the same role he or she played in "Dear Ruth" except that the very beautiful Miss Caufield is seen as Holden's sprouse rather than his girl friend. But Billy DeWolfe remains the hilariously prissy banker, Miss Freeman the scatterbrained teenager and Edward Arnold the nomial head of an unpredictable family.

" They Live By Night", the companion film, features Farley Ganrger and Cathy O'Donnell.

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A fascinating story with a moral will be presented to Arlington school children when Harriet Hoctor and her dance troupe present an original classical dance ballet at the Junior High School Auditorium on April 14th and 15th at three performances.

This is the delightful story of a boy and girl, Tyltyl and Myltyl. One Christmas Eve while they were sleeping, they suddenly awoke and through the windows of the big house across the street they could see a beautiful Christmas party.

All at once the door opened, and the Fairy Berylune entered. She told them she needed the Blue Bird of Happiness, and that they must find it for her. She put a magic hat on Tyltyl, and immediately everything in the cottages came to life—Bread tumbled out of his pan,

—Water, weeping came out of the faucet,—Fire sprang up hissing from the stove—Sugar appeared—then Miik and Light. The children's cat and dog began to walk and talk like human beings, and the hours came dancing out of the ciock. Just they they all heard a noise in the other room, where the children's parents had been sleeping - and the children, the fairy, together with the dog and cat fled out the window in search of the Blue Bird of Happiness.

When they reached the Fairy's palace, she led them to a trunk of beautiful clothes and helped them choose which ones they all wanted to wear.

Then they set out to look for the Blu Bird in the palace of Night where all was darkness. Tyltyl demanded the keys to the doors in Night's palace and one by one he unlocked them. Behind one he found ghosts, behind another, shadows, and in another he found sickness, with little Cold-in-the Head who came hopping out. Night warned Tyltyl not to open the last door, but Tyltyl bravely turned the key, and found a beautiful garden, with jewelled flowers and clouds of blue birds. Tyltyl exctedly clasped one of the blue birds in his arms, only to find, when he reached the light, that the bird was no longer blue but black.

Next the children sought the Blue Bird in the Kingdom of the Future. Here they found all the little one who were waiting to be born. All at once Father Time appeared, summoning all those who were to be born on that day, and as he gathered them together, the children could hear in the distance a song of gladness and expectation from the mothers who waited for them. Just as Light placed the Blue Bird in Tyltyl's arms, Father Time caught sight of the boy and came towards him. Tyltyl was so surprised, he opened his arms, and the Blue Bird soared away.

Disappointed, the children returned to the Temple of Light where the animals and Things tried to cheer the children by dancing for them, in their last moment of life.

And so it came to pass that the children could not find the Blue Bird of Happiness, and bid a sorrowful goodbye to the spirits of Bread, Water, Sugar, Milk, Light, Dog and Cat. They awoke to find themselves back in their own little bed; and there in ther own home, they found the Blue Bird of Happiness for which they had spent their time searching everywhere else in vain. And this is just the ease with most of us.... we are on the look out for happiness everywhere, in all of the out-of-the way places possible, when, if we only know it, happiness is waiting fo us in all the simple joys and duties of our own homes.

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Mother, Sons Dinner Proves Huge Success

Members of the Arlington Boys' Club played host to their mothers last week at the Annual Dinner. The attractively decorated and brightly lighted gym was crowded to capacity as some 320 charming mothers and well-scrubbed youngsters enjoyed the evening.

At the long head table, decorated with flowers and graced by nine of Arlington's most publc spirited ladies were the following: Mrs. Edgar T. Chester, Mrs. James A. Baily, Mrs. Frank P. Swett, Mrs. Walter S. Cooledge, Mrs. A. Henry Ottoson, Mrs. Charles B. Perham, Mrs. Maurice Sandler, Mrs. Walter T. Kenney, and Mrs. James H. Sumner. Also at the head table were Rev. James Rafferty, Sgt. William E. Smith, and James H. Sumner.

The evening started with the Star Spangled Banner and invocation by Rev. James Rafferty. Following the dinner, awards were presented to the boys for participation in the program at the club.

Highlights of the evening came when Club Director Jim Sumner presented Gold Lapel Boys Club Pins to Mrs. Frank Swett and Mrs. James A. Bailey for devoted service. Another big moment came when Jackie Bowler a 16 year old club member was named for the Bavel L. Cummins Award for Good Sportsmanship.

Entertainment furnished by Ronnie Sousa 10 year old singer and Bobby Shea 12 year old pianist and films shown by Sgt. Bill Smith completed the program.

Easter Egg Hunt At Boy's Club

Saturday morning April 8th the Arlington Boys' Club will witness one of its most exciting exents. The Midget and Junior members will swarm all over the Pond Lane Club house in search of Easter Eggs.

This annual event, restricted to boys under 14 years is eagerly awaited by club members. A fine assortment of Easter Baskets, Eggs, Chocolate Bunnies and other goodies awat the finders of the hidden egs.

As in the past two years, all boys must have their club tickets for admission. The boys will assemble in the gym and await the signal to start the hunt. As a boy finds an egg he will report to the Hunt-Master, Henry Ottoson. Boys will be limited to only one prize.

Following th Easter Egg Hunt the boys will again assemble in the gym for the entertainment. A puppet Story and 30 minutes of cartoons will finish the program. Candy Jelly Eggs will be distrubuted as the boys leave the building.

The personal generosity of the Executive Committee made this event possible when a curtailed budget almost made it necessary to take it off the club calendar of special events.

Letter To Editor

To the Citizens of Arlington and the Town Meeting Members and Finance Committee:

I am the timekeeper for the Public Works Department whose employment, along with two other employees of the same department, was so wrongfully critisized by the chairman of the Board of Public Works John L. Murphy at the Town Meeting which was held on March 20, 1950. Mr. Murphy, while speaking in opposition to the recommendation of the Personnel Board to upgrade us, made such glaring erroneous statements I feel constrained to refute them.

I worked for the Department of Public Works for fifteen years, having been appointed from the Civil Service list. All during that service, no one, not even Mr. Murphy, ever made the charge, privately or publicly, to me that my work was unsatisfactory. If Mr. Murphy really believed what he said at the Town Meeting, he would have told me privately what he had in mind rather than wait for a Town Meeting.

I served the United States Navy for four years during World War II and received an honorable discharge.

I have never had a court record of any kind. I built my own home in Arlington for my wife, my three children and myself. I did not take five days off to paint my house as stated by Mr. Murphy. I took off the five days because my wife underwent a serious operation at the Symmes Hospital and I had three children at home who had to be taken care of. The increase recommended by the personnel board was $78.00 and not $195.00 as stated by Mr. Murphy. Although Mr. Murphy stated I had fifteen days sick leave last year that was not the fact. In the fifeen years that I have worked for the Town of Arlington I do not believe I took fifteen days sick leave.

It certainly does not become the chairman of the Board of Public Works to make these wrongful statements about an employee who has worked for the Town, without critisizm for fifteen years. If his motive was poiitical he should have adheared to the truth.

It his motive was personal he should be reprimanded for it.

I want to thank the members of the personnel board, who, after a thorough investigation, recommend that I be reallocated to a higher grade.

(Signed) John E. Donovan

SELECTMEN'S NOTES

The office of the Town Selectmen anounced Tuesday the approval of the application of retirement from Sergeant William L. Olson, of the Arlington Police Department.

Sergeant Olson was appointed to the Arlington Police Force as a reserve officer, June 3, 1929 and appointed a regular officer, December 6, 1930. He is retiring for reasons of health.

Jackie Bowler Trophy Winner

The Bravel L. Cummongs Trophy highest award annually presented at the Arlington Boys' Club went this year o a 16 year old member. Jackie Bowler, a Senior at the Club and member for the past 6 years won the balloting by the club staff.

The award is made to the club member who best execplifies good sportsmanship during the current season. Boys Club Staff members this year were confronted with several boys of outstanding character. After much debate, Bowler, who resides with his parents and 4 brothers and 2 sisters at 27 Central street won out.

A paricipant in almost all activities at the Boys' Club, Jackie also handles several groups of midget members in the crafts room. In additon Jackie is ever willing to very capably coach the midgets and juniors in basketball and baseball.

Not too rugged but ver fast, Jackie played on the Bomber's team winners of the Boys' Club Senior league. Ability to win the confidence of boys got Jackie a job on the staff at the Boys' and Girls' Camps, Inc. As an assistant in the Medical and Dental infirmary at Camp Wing, Jackie made many frends at the camp last season. Officials of the Camps were so impressed by Bowler that he has been signed on for the coming season.

Present for the award was the well known dairyman, Bavel Cummings, who is on the Board of the Boys' Club and one of its greatest boosters.

AWARD WINNERS

At the recent party given Mildred Bailey, WCOP Women's Program Director, in honor of her fifth anniversary with the WCOP station, three Arlington women were prize winners.

Craig Lawrenee, WCOP General Manager, welcomed more than 400 listeners to the party, which was held in the Charter Room of New England Mutual Hall, and he presented Miss Bailey with a huge bouquet of flowers as more and more flowers continued to arrive from sponsors, listeners and other women commentators.

Highlight of the party was a direct-from-the-stage broadcast of Mildred Bailey's afternoon show, "Keynotes By Bailey". To top off the festivities, Nelson Bragg, WCOP's ace emcee, took over after the broadcast, and started audience participation games. Twenty-four of the best sports were awarded baskets of Mildred Bailey advertised products. The three Arlington winners were:

Mrs. Alyce Barlow 42 Henderson st.; Mary E. Moore, 216 Massachusetts ave.; and Mrs. Pearl Beals 11 Field road.

Roll Off For Bowling League

League competition in the Town Bowling League sponsored by the Park Department ends this week with teams still battling to place in the Roll Offs, which will begin nex Tuesday, April 11, 1950 at the Arlington Recreation Alleys.

The Ramblers and Union Church will represent the American League. The Aces have clinched top spot in the National League while the Shamrocks and Centrals are tied for second place. Competition during this week will dissolve this tie.

In the Roll Offs, the top two teams in each league will bowl each other to determine the Town Champion. Total points scored in these matches, and if tied, highest total pinfall will decide the Roll Off.

Roll Offs are scheduled for Tuesday, April 11h, Thursday 13th and Tuesday April 18th at 9:00 p.m. in the Recreation Alleys.

Awards to the wining team in addition to other league awards will be presented at the Bowling Banquet to be held in the American Legion Hall, April 27, 1950.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

MRS. MABEL GRANT

Mrs. Mabel McPartland Grant, 53 wife of Deputy Sherriff Edwin J. Grant, who has been attached to the Middlesex County Court House, East Cambridge for 24 years, died in her home, 22 Victoria rd., Arlington.

Funeral services were held Wednesday, afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Daniel F. O'Brien Funeral Home, 226 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington, with interment in Mt. Pleasant cemetery, Arlington.

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HOUSING AUTHORITY TO MAKE REQUEST

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Hauser also stated, the Gardner street project will probably be completed by the First of June. There are 50 families in the unit at present and when it is fully occupied, 126 families will be cared for.

It was estimated that 575 families have now applied for homes. The 126 which will be housed by June are only the extremely critical cases. It is necessary to construct more units to meet the needs for the other applicants who, hough not critical cases, are extremely needy ones.

The Board does not know at this time if the State will allow them to build more units but, if they do give their permission it s still not known how many unts will be built.

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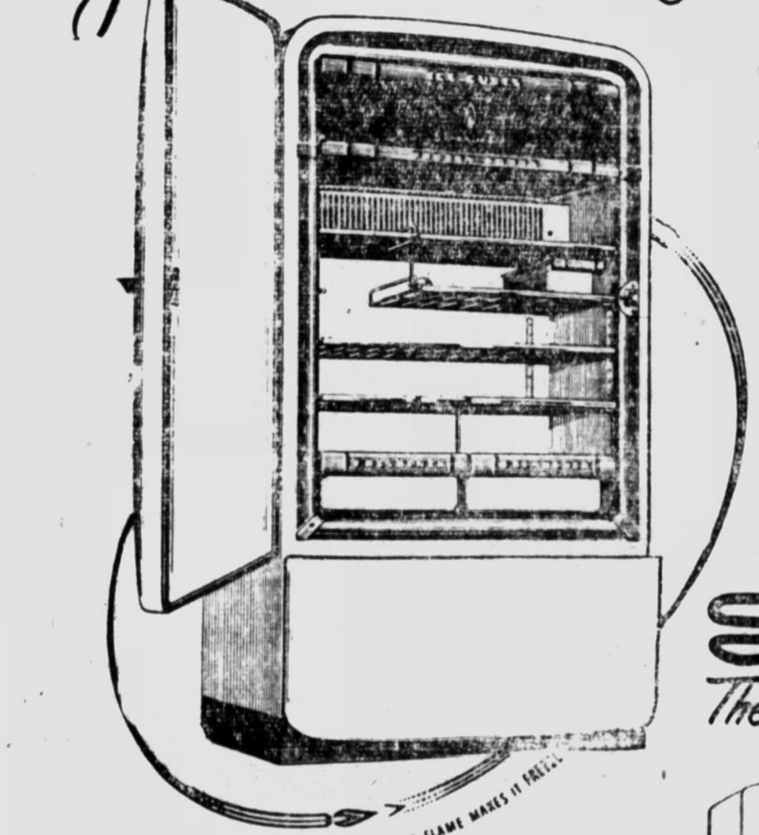

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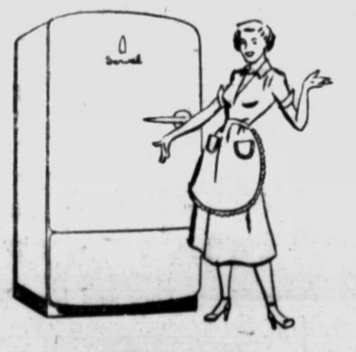
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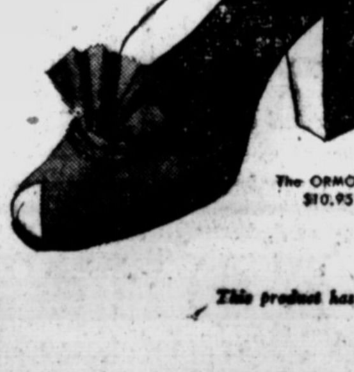
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1 Pail
1 Kettle
1 Pitcher
3 High Stools
3 Pistols (Revolutionary)
1 Jug
9 Candles

None of these properties will be damaged. Some of these properties must be of the Revolutionary Era. Will those citizens who are able to lend these properties please contact the Chairman of the Property Committee, Mr. W. Tryder as soon as possible?

TO WED IN SPRING

Mr. and Mrs. B. Richard Peterson of Milton announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Shirley Ruth Peterson to Ensign Alfred C. Dunk, son of Mr, and Mrs. Harry N. Dunk of Arlington. Miss Peterson attended Thayer Academy and Bryant and Stratton School. Ensign Dunk was graduated from the Massachusetts Maritime Academy in Hyannis.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo I. Powell of Arlington announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss F. Shirley Powell, to Mr. Ernest L. Prouty, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon F. Prouty of Framingham. Miss Powell is attending Westbrook Jr. College in Portland. Mr. Prouty served with the Merchant Marine for three years.

PLAN FALL WEDDING

Mrs. Kathleen Nixon of Arlington has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Rita Marie Kearsey, to John Patrick Higgins, son of Mrs. Katherine Higgins of Roxbury.

An early fall wedding is planned.

Scandinavian Night Show At Crosby

Four nationality groups, representing the Scandinavian Countries, will be featured at the Crosby P. T. A. Brotherhood meeting on Tuesday evening, April 11th at 8 p.m.

Arlington people of Swedish, Norwegian, Danish and Finnish backgrounds met at the home of Mrs. Raymond McKeever, President. They formed a committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Nils Werner and Mrs. Alice Collins, and are working together to make this an outstanding program.

Mr. Albert O. Wilson, Swedish Consul for eight years, will speak on "Scandinavian Brotherhood".

A colored film, "Wings Over Vikingland" will be shown by Mr. Victor Emanuelson. Folk dancing in costume will be performed by members of a Swedish Dance Club, Ellen Haapala and Ray Helander, singer and pianist from the Finnish Colony in Maynard will honor these countries in Song and Music. Accordian renditions of Scandinavian folk music will be given by Mr. Ralph and Leonard Johnson.

A Scandinavian "Coffee Table", will be set up in the school gym for refreshments after the meeting. A collection of Arts and Handi craft will also be on display downstairs.

The loan of articles from these countries (preferably labeled) will be appreciated and well cared for. Contributors will please give these articles to the committee on duty in the gym before the meeting.

Visitors to these meetings are always welcome.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Adam H. Smith of Arlngton announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Doris Jeanne Smith, to Mr. Edward J. Zienka, son of Mrs. Vincent Zienka of Passiac, New Jersey. Miss Smith was graduated from the Jackson Van Ladau School of Fashion. Mr. Zienka was graduated from Fairleigh Dickinson College in Rutherford, New Jersey. During the war he was a captain in the Air Force.

WINS AWARD

The Arlington Garden Club proudly congratulates Mrs. Leroy G. Shaw for having won a GOLD SEAL for the Victorian arrangement which she exhibited last week, in the Invitation Class at the New England Spring Flower Show at Mechanics Hall, Boston.

Mrs. Shaw is Flower Arrangement Advisor of the Arlington Garden Club.

Census Seeks Pre-School Age Figures

When the Census taker calls at Arlington homes in April he will ask several questions, the answers to which will have a direct bearing on measuring the future needs of the community it is pointed out by Arthur E. McCabe, Census district supervisor here.

These inquiries will relate to:

1. Number of children of pre-school age, classified by age.
2. Nnmber of school children, classified by age and by grade of school completed.
3. Number of college students, classified by age and b yyear of college completed.

Upon completion of tabulations of this information by the United States Bureau of the Census, Federal, State and local school authorities will have the facts on which to base plans for meeting the expanding needs in practically all parts of the country, Mr. Arthur E. McCabe stated.

Every community in the Nation is virtually concerned with the school problems and in accurate statistical information on the subject. Amounts paid in school aid programs are frequently based on this information. The United States Congress, State Legislatures, and Federal, State, county and school district authorities have a common need for this information.

Reliable statistics can be obtained by the Census takers only through the full cooperation of all who are interviewed during the Nation's 17th Decennial Census. It behooves every householder to give this cooperation to the Census enumerator for reasons of self interest, aside from the fact that the Census is part of the Americacan democratic system to determine proportional representation in Congress and in State Legislatures and proportional distribution of public benefits such as educational facilities.

Shower For Bride-To-Be

About 45 friends if Miss Peggy Mahoney, popular clerk at the Boston Edison Shop here assembled at her home at 65 Magnolia street, recently to honor the bride-to-be.

She was happily surprised by her many gifts of silver, lingerie, linen and household articles. Miss Mahoney is the daughter of Lt. Joseph Mahoney of the Arlington Police Department. She will become the bride of John Hurley, member of the Arlington Fire Department, at a wdding scheduled for Sunday, June 4.

Annual Meeting Of Garden Club

The annual meeting of the Arlington Garden Club will be held Wednesday, April 12, at 2 p.m., at the Robbins Library Hall. Officers will be elected and yearly reports read. An interesting program featuring "Home Talent" is planned and refreshments will be served.

During the absence of Mrs. Frank H. Robbins, chairman of Hospital Service, who is visiting in Florida, the assistant chairman, Mrs. Charles W. Wright and her committee, have resumed visits to the Bedford Veterans Hospital on the last Friday of each month, to make and distribute the flower arrangements in the women's section of the hospital.

FINANCE TALK AT LEAGUE MEETING

Mrs. William Barker, Finance Chairman of the League of Women Voters of Massachusetts, spoke to Finance Chairmen of the Arlington, Watertown, Lincoln and Lexington Leagues on Monday, March 27th at the Robbins Labrary Hall in Arlington, on their annual financce campaigns.

The League of Women Voters of Arlington is preparing to conduct its annual campaign for financil assistance seeking interested persons in this community who share the league's belief in the importance of developing a more informed citizen participation in government. The campaign will be conducted during the early part of April.

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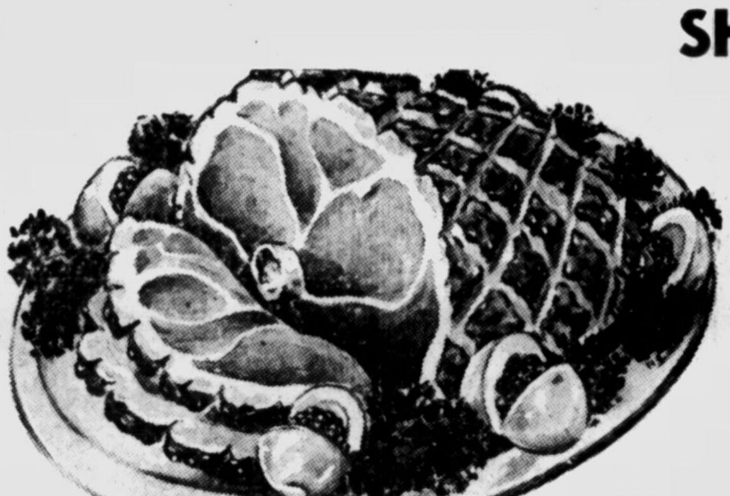

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Sat, Sun, Mon, Tues.
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"Spotlight On Mexico"
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